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## In the Claims:

- 1. (Original) A carrier comprising a sheet having a first portion and a second portion; a retainer in said first portion for containment of product, said retainer comprising a pocket or a hole therein; a fold in said second portion such that the second portion is foldable towards the retainer to form a cover therefor; and a join between said cover and the retainer.
- 2. (Original) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein said sheet comprises an elongate strip.
- 3. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein said hole additionally comprises a seal applied thereto.
- 4. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1 comprising a plurality of retainers in the first portion, wherein the second portion is foldable towards said plurality of retainers to form a cover therefor; and a join between said cover and the plurality of retainers.
- 5. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, additionally comprising a fold in said first portion such that the first portion is foldable towards the retainer to form a base therefor; and a join between said base and the retainer.
- 6. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, additionally comprising an inert support within the retainer for bearing product thereon.
- 7. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a second fold in the second portion to form a pull release tab.
- 8. (Original) A carrier according to claim 7, wherein said pull release tab is shaped for ease of grip.

- 9. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 7, wherein the pull release tab has a looped end.
- 10. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 7, wherein said pull release tab has at least one perforation therein.
- 11. (Previously Amended) A carrier in multi-unit form comprising a series arrangement of a plurality of carriers according to any claim 1.
- 12. (Original) A carrier according to claim 11, wherein each of said plurality of carriers is connected together.
- 13. (Original) A carrier according to claim 12, wherein each of the plurality of carriers is formable from the same sheet or elongate strip.
- 14. (Original) A carrier according to claim 13, wherein said sheet or elongate strip has a point of weakness between each carrier in said series arrangement.
- 15. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the sheet or elongate strip is flexible.
- 16. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the sheet or elongate strip comprises material selected from the group consisting of metal foil, an organic polymeric material and paper.
- 17. (Original) A carrier according to claim 16, wherein the carrier comprises a laminate.
- 18.(Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the join is formable by a joining method selected from the group consisting of heat, laser, radio frequency, adhesive, staple, stamp, pressure and ultrasonic sealing.



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- 19. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the join is peelable to enable peelable access to the retainer.
- 20. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the retainer is shaped for receipt by a holder.
- 21.( Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a medicament therein.
- 22. (Original) A carrier according to claim 21, wherein said medicament is in dry powder, tablet, liquid, paste, cream or capsular form.
- 23. (Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 21, wherein the medicament is selected from the group consisting of albuterol, salmeterol, ipratropium bromide, fluticasone propionate and beclomethasone dipropionate and salts or solvates thereof and any mixtures thereof.
- 24. (Previously Amended) An inhalation device comprising a housing in combination with a carrier as claimed in claim 21.
- 25. (Original) An inhalation device according to claim 24, wherein said housing includes a holder for receipt of the retainer of the carrier.
- 26. (Previously Amended) An inhalation device according to claim 24, wherein the carrier comprises a pull release tab and the pull release tab protrudes from the housing.
- 27. (Original) An inhalation device according to claim 26, wherein the inhalation device comprises a release mechanism and the pull release tab connects to the release mechanism.

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- 28. (Original) An inhalation device according to claim 27, wherein said release mechanism is separable from the housing.
- 29. (Previously Amended) A method of making a carrier comprising forming a retainer, comprising a pocket or hole therein, in a first portion of a sheet or elongate strip; filling said retainer with product; folding a second portion of said sheet or elongate strip towards the retainer to form a cover therefor; and forming a join between said cover and the retainer.
- 30. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 29 comprising forming a plurality. of retainers in a said portion of said sheet or elongate strip; filling said plurality of retainers with product; folding a second portion of the sheet or elongate strip towards the plurality of retainers to form a cover therefor; and forming a join between said cover and the plurality of retainers.
- 31 32. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A method of making a carrier in multi-unit form comprising successive iterations of the method according to claim 29 to form a series arrangement of a plurality of carriers.
- 32 33. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A method of opening a carrier as claimed in claim 7 comprising pulling the pull release tab in order to enable access to the retainer.
- 33 34. (Renumbered/ Cancelled) Use of a carrier, according to claim 21, for dispensing modicament.
- 34 37. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) Use of a A carrier according to claim 86 36, wherein said medicament comprises a medicament selected from the group consisting albuterol, salmeterol, ipratroprium bromide, fluticasone propionate, and beclomethasone dipropionate, and salts or solvates thereof, and mixtures thereof.

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- 35. 38. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising an electronic component therein.
- 36. 40. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a food therein.
- 37. 41. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 36 40, wherein said food is selected from the group consisting of meat, mycoprotein, milk, cheese, flour, pasta, rice, oil, sugar, confectionery, vegetable, herbal, snack, convenience and fruit foodstuffs.
- 38. 42. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a beverage therein.
- 39. 43. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 38 42, wherein said beverage is selected from the group consisting of water, milk, coffee, cocoa, tea, fruit, carbonated and alcoholic drinks.
- 40. 44. (Renumbered/Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a toiletry therein.
- 41. 45. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to <u>claim 40</u>, wherein elaim 44, wherein said toiletry is selected from the group consisting of toothpaste, soap, mouthwash, shampoo, skin and face cream.
- 42. 46. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a cleanser therein.
- 43. 47. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 42, wherein claim 46, wherein said cleanser is selected from the group consisting of soap, detergent, enzymic preparation and organic solvent.

- 44. 48. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according claim 1, comprising a disinfectant therein.
- 45 49. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 44, wherein claim 48, wherein said disinfectant is selected from the group consisting of sterilant, antiseptic and bleach.
- 46. 50. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a light-sensitive material therein.
- 47. 51. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 46 50, wherein said light-sensitive material comprises a photographic film.
- 48. 52. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a marking material therein.
- 49. 53. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 48 52, wherein said marking material is selected from the group consisting of toner, ink, dye, pigment, acid and alkali.
- 50. 54. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a covering material therein.
- 51. 55. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 50, wherein elaim 54, wherein said covering material is selected from the group consisting of paint, pigment, dye, corrosion inhibitor, electrical conductor, electrical insulator and static inhibitor.
- 52. 56. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a toy therein.



- 53. 57. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 52, wherein claim 56, wherein said toy is selected from the group consisting of model, figure, doll, animal, jigsaw and game.
- 54. 58. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising haberdashery therein.
- 55. 59. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 54, wherein claim 58, wherein said haberdashery is selected from the group consisting of button, bobbin, needle, pin, eye, hook and fastener.
- 56. 60. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a tool therein.
- 57. 61. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 5660, wherein said tool comprises a domestic tool.
- 58. 62. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 5761, wherein said domestic tool is selected from the group consisting of can opener, bottle opener, ring-pull opener, scissors, knife, fork and spoon.
- 59. 63. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 5660, wherein the tool comprises a home maintenance tool.
- 60. 64. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 59 63, wherein said home maintenance tool is selected from the group consisting of nail, screw, pin, wire, screwdriver, knife, brush, spanner, ruler and marker.
- 61. 65. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising stationery therein.

- 62. 66. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 61 65, wherein said stationery is selected from the group consisting of pencil, pen, ruler, crayon, eraser, marker, stencil, protractor, compass and paper.
- 63. 67. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising an adhesive therein.
- 64. 68. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 63 67, wherein said adhesive bonds materials selected from the group consisting of paper, plastic, wood, rubber, glass and metal.
- 65. 69. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising an agrochemical therein.
- 66. 70. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 65 69, wherein said agrochemical is selected from the group consisting of herbicide, insecticide, fungicide, rodentocide, nematocide, acaracide and plant growth regulator.
- 67. 71. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a plant seed therein.
- 68. 72. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 67.71, wherein said seed is derived from plants selected from the group consisting of monocotyledonous and dicotyledonous plants.
- 69. 73. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a contraceptive therein.
- 70. 74. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 69 73, wherein said contraceptive is either a contraceptive device or a contraceptive drug.

- 71. 75. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 70, wherein olaim 74, wherein said contraceptive device is selected from the group consisting of condom, diaphragm, sponge and coil.
- 72. 76. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 70 74, wherein said contraceptive drug is selected from the group consisting of spermacide, estrogen, ethinyl estradiol, progesterone, levonorgestrel and norgestrel.
- 73. 77. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a medical instrument therein.
- 74. 78. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 73.77, wherein said medical instrument is selected from the group consisting of scalpel, thermometer and syringe.
- 75. 79. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising laboratory equipment therein.
- 76. 80. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 75 79, wherein said equipment is selected from the group consisting of dispenser tip, microbial filter, filter paper, aseptic container, petri-plate, vial, test tube, tissue-culture vessel and pipette.
- 77. 81. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising a catemenial product therein.
- 78. 82. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 77 81, wherein said catemental product comprises a tampon.
- 79. 83. (Renumbered/ Previously Amended) A carrier according to claim 1, comprising nicotine therein.

- 80. 84- (Renumbered/ Previously Cancelled)
- 81. 85 (Renumbered/ Previously Cancelled)
- 82. 86. (Renumbered / Cancelled) A carrier according to claim 1, wherein the retainer consists of a pocket or hole.
- 83. 87. (Renumbered/ Currently Amended) A carrier according to claim 36, wherein said medicament comprises albuterol sulfate.
- 84. (New) A method of making a carrier according to claim 29, additionally comprising a fold in said first portion such that the first portion is foldable towards the retainer to form a base therefor; and a join between said base and the retainer.
- 85. (New) A carrier of claim 21 wherein said medicament is used in the treatment of respiratory disorders.
- 86. (New) A carrier according to claim 85, wherein the medicament is used in the treatment of asthma.
- 87. (New) A carrier according to claim 35, wherein said electronic component is selected from the group consisting of semi-conductor, integrated circuit chip, fuse and battery.

